

Appln. No. 09/806,636

AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.312

Docket No. FJIN-109

REMARKS

Claims 2-26 and 28-32 are pending herein. By this Amendment, Claim 30 is amended. Claims 4, 8, and 32 are presented as detailed in the Examiner's Amendment mailed with the Notice of Allowance. No new matter is added by this Amendment.

I. CLAIM 30

As discussed during a January 7, 2004 telephone conference with Examiner Oh, Claim 30 is amended as previously agreed by the Examiner and Applicants' representative.

II. INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Attached hereto is a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement filed on April 3, 2001 and a copy of the PTO-stamped postcard. As discussed during the January 7, 2004 telephone conference, Applicants never received a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449. Examiner Oh requested that the IDS be resubmitted so that he can initial and return a copy of the Form PTO-1449. Return of an initialed Form PTO-1449 is respectfully requested.

III. CONCLUSION

In light of the foregoing remarks, this application should be in condition for allowance, and early passage of this case to issue is respectfully requested. If there are any questions regarding this Amendment or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application.

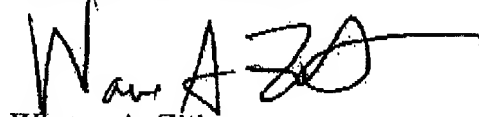
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Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures:

Copy of IDS filed on April 3, 2001

Copy of PTO-stamped postcard